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A Romance of the Days When the Lord Redeemed the Children of Israel From the Bondage of Egypt
By Elizabeth Miller

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CHAPTER VII.

THE FURNACE OF ATSU.

ONE late afternoon in the streets of Pa-Ramesu a curious new-comer loomed before Atsu, the commander of Israel of the treasure city. The visitor was old and tremulous from fatigue, and the status of hard labor were evident upon him.

"Greeting, Atsu. The peace of the divine mother attend thee," he said. "Snofru, the beloved of Ra at On, sends thee greeting by his servant, Ramas."

"Greeting," the taskmaster replied after he had inspected the white-robed servant. "The shelter of my roof and the bread of my board are thine."

Within the house of Atsu, Ramas delivered into the hands of the soldier the message that Kenkenes had brought to Snofru. While Atsu undid the roll the old servant made voluble apologies for the broken seal. The commander stepped to the doorway for better light and read the writing.

This is what he read:

To Atsu, Commander Over the Builders of Pa-Ramesu. These—To mine ears hath come report of mutiny and ill-will through thy weak government of my bond people. Also that thou hast enforced my commands but feebly and so deflected my purposes, which were my sire's, after whose illustrious example I reign.

For these and kindred inefficiencies art thou removed from the government over Pa-Ramesu.

I hereby bestow upon thee another office within the limits of thy capacity. Thou wilt take up the flagellum over Masaarah when thou hast surrendered Pa-Ramesu to thy successor.

By this thou shalt learn that the pharaoh will be able served.

Horemheb of Bubastis, thy successor, accompaneth these.

Give him honor.

MENEPTAH.

The dictum was manifestly the king's. None other of high estate would have inspired so spiteful a letter. But the appointment to Masaarah made Atsu forget the sting in the second reading. To Masaarah! To Masaarah and Rachel! He folded the broken sheet and thrust it into his bosom. Meeting the keen eye of his guest, the color rushed back to the taskmaster's face, and he summoned two attendant Hebrews to wait upon the old man while he went forth to gain composure in the air.

At midnight there came the heat of hoofs on the dust muffled ways of Pa-Ramesu. A sentry knocked at the door of the commander and announced a visitor. Atsu, who still sat under the unextinguished reed light, greeted the newcomer with an exclamation of concern. The man was covered with dust, his dress was torn and bloody, his right hand swathed in cloths, and his lip, right cheek and eye were swollen and discolored.

"By Horus, friend, thou lookest ill used," the taskmaster exclaimed. "What hath befallen thee?"

"It is only a spear slit in my hand, and a flying stirrup marring my face. I am well. Look to the Bedouins, however; they ran our messenger through. Set consume them!"

"Doubt not, we shall look to them. They grow strangely insolent of late."

"Small wonder," the other responded heartily. "Is not the whole north a seething pot of lawlessness, and, by the demons of Ametit, is not the Israelite the fire under the caldron? Nay, but I shall have especial joy in dashing him!"

The man laughed and dropped into the chair Atsu had offered him.

"Then thou art Horemheb, the new taskmaster over Pa-Ramesu?"

"So, this is news indeed," he cried, the man exclaimed in very evident amazement.

Ramas, indifferently clad in a hastily donned kamis, at this moment came forward with an apologetic courtesy.

"And thy messenger, sir? What of him?" he asked eagerly.

"Dead, and left at a wayside house."

"And the message?" the old man persisted.

Horemheb surveyed him with increasing astonishment.

Atsu interposed and explained the interchange of letters.

"Oh," said Horemheb, "so the correct message came to thee nevertheless, good Atsu. But I cannot tell thee aught of the other. It is lost."

"Lost!" Ramas shrieked.

"Gods, old man, it was only pigment and papyrus, not gold or jewels. A kindly disposed Hebrew came to our help with some of his people, and we put the Bedouins to flight. But after the struggle, search as we might with torches which the Hebrew brought, the message was not to be found. A Bedouin made off with it, I doubt not."

Ramas stood speechless for an instant, and then he rushed up to the new taskmaster.

"His name?" he demanded fiercely. "The Hebrew? What was he like? Where does he dwell?"

"A murrain on the maniac!" Horemheb exploded. "He called himself Aaron!"

Ramas staggered against the wall for support and beat the air with his arms.

"Aaron, the brother of Moses! O ye inscrutable Hathors!" he babbled. "A Bedouin made off with it! Oh, oh, what folly!"

CHAPTER VIII.

THE COLLAR OF GOLD.

THE next morning after his meeting with the golden haired Israelite Kenkenes came early to the line of rocks that topped the north wall of the gorge and, ensconced between the gray fragments, looked down upon her whenever she came to the valley's mouth. All day long the children came staggering up from the Nile laden with dripping hides or returned in a free and ragged line down the green slope of the field to the river again, with their captain and collaborer, Rachel.

At the summit of the wooden slope the beautiful Israelite, who had preceded her charges, passed up the burden of each one to the Hebrews on the scaffold. From his aerial Kenkenes watched this particular phase of her tasks with interest. She was not too far from him for the details of her movements to be distinguishable, and the posture of the outstretched arms and lifted face fulfilled his requirements. He abandoned the modeling of her features for that day and copied the attitude.

At sunset he retired cautiously, but several dawns found him among the rocks, with reed pen, papyrus and molds of clay. When he climbed to his retreat within the walls of stone on the hillside in the late afternoon he hid several studies of the girl's head and statuettes of clay under the matting.

At last he began the creation of Athor the Golden.

For days he labored feverishly, forgetting to eat, fretting because the sun set and the darkness held sway for so long. Having overstepped the law, he placed no limit to the extent of his artistic transgression.

That evening it was several days after the face of the goddess had been

gun to emerge from the block of stone—he went to the upper end of the gorge and passed through the camp on his way home that he might meet his model.

Halfway to the Nile he came upon her whom he sought.

"I wanted to see thee," said Kenkenes, "with that frightened longing of a man who hath resolved on confession and meeteth his confessor on a sudden. Now that the moment hath arrived I marvel how I shall make my peace with Athor, whose command I most deliberately broke."

She raised her beautiful eyes to his face and waited for him to proceed. The pose of the head was exactly what he wanted. Rapidly he compared every detail of her face with his memory of the statue of Athor, noting with satisfaction that his studies had been happily faithful. His scrutiny was so swift and skillful that there seemed to be nothing unusual in his gaze.

"I am culpable, but impenitent," he continued. "I shall not forswear mine offense. Neither is there any need of a plea to justify myself, for my very sin is its own justification. Behold me! I perched myself like a sacred hawk at the mouth of the valley and ilched thy likeness. Do with me as thou wilt, but I shall die reiterating approval of my deed."

His extravagant speech wrought an interesting change on the face before



"Let me give thee a peace offering."

him. There was a pronounced curve of her mouth, a slight tension in the chiselled nostril—in fact, an indefinable disdain that had not been there before. It would become Athor well. Kenkenes understood the look, but he did not flinch. Instead he let his head drop slowly until he looked at her from under his brows. Then he summoned into his eyes all the wounded feeling, pathos, soft reproach and appeal of which his graceless young heart was capable and gazed at her.

Khufu might have been as easily melted by the twinkle of a raindrop. Never in his life had he faced such comprehensive contemplation. Calm, monumental and icy disdain deepened on every feature.

Kenkenes stood motionless and suffered her to look at him. Being a man of fine soul, the eloquent gaze spoke well deserved rebuke. He knew that his color had risen, and his eyes fell in spite of heroic efforts to keep them steady. His sensations were unique; never had he experienced the like. When he recovered himself her blue eyes were fixed absently on the distant quarries.

Every impulse urged him to set himself right in the eyes of this most discerning slave.

"Wilt thou forgive me?" he asked earnestly. "I would I could make thee know I crave thy good will."

There was no mistaking the honesty in these words. Her face relaxed instantly.

"But I fear I have not set about it wisely," he added. "Let me give thee a peace offering to prove my contrition."

He slipped from about his neck the collar of golden rings and moved forward to put it about her throat.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Steamer Sinks Transport.

Nagasaki, Japan, Aug. 25.—The British steamer Haralag and the Japanese transport Kingio collided at 10 o'clock last Tuesday in the inland sea. The transport was sunk and 160 men were drowned.

MARKET REPORT

Prevailing Prices for Grain and Livestock at Leading Markets.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.

Wheat—Wagon, \$10; No. 2 red, \$20. Corn—No. 2, 55¢; Oats—No. 2, 25¢. Mixed, 24¢. Hay—Clover, \$6.00; Timothy, \$10.00; Millet, \$7.00. Cattle—\$2.50 to \$5.75. Hogs—\$4.25 to \$6.20. Sheep—\$2.45 to \$4.25. Lambs—\$4.50 to \$7.00.

At Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$20. Corn—No. 2, 53¢. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 25¢. Cattle—\$2.00 to \$5.00. Hogs—\$5.00 to \$6.35. Sheep—\$2.75 to \$4.50. Lambs—\$5.25 to \$7.00.

Grain and Livestock at Chicago.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$22½. Corn—No. 2, 54½. Oats—No. 2, 25¢. Cattle—Steers, \$4.00 to \$6.00; Stockers and feeders, \$2.25 to \$4.36. Hogs—\$5.20 to \$6.75. Sheep—\$3.85 to \$5.50. Lambs—\$5.40 to \$7.65.

At New York.

Cattle—\$4.75 to \$5.65. Hogs—\$4.50 to \$6.70. Sheep—\$3.00 to \$5.00. Lambs—\$5.00 to \$8.25.

At East Buffalo.

Cattle—\$4.75 to \$5.75. Hogs—\$4.50 to \$6.50. Sheep—\$4.00 to \$5.50. Lambs—\$5.50 to \$8.00.

Toledo Wheat.

Sept., 83½¢; Dec., 84½¢; cash, 84½¢.

NOT ENCOURAGING

Peace Between Japan and Russia Seems a Long Distance Away.

A COMPLETE HITCH

A Rumor Says the Kaiser Is Playing Part of Obstructionist.

Conviction Strong That Sunday Will Mark the End of Negotiations.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 25.—The prospects of peace seem desperate, but they are not hopeless, despite the prevailing pessimism. There is still a chance and the forces working for peace are continuing their labors.

The president failed twice, but he is fighting on. The result of Ambassador Meyer's audience at Peterhof was unsatisfactory, but at least it was not a rebuff. It left the door open, and within a few hours after the receipt at Oyster Bay of Mr. Meyer's account of his audience the president had sent a new appeal through Mr. Witte, who received it from Mr. Peirce about 3 o'clock yesterday morning. The emperor had already in effect declined the proposed compromise offered by Japan. He had refused it because under a disguise Japan offered to withdraw the article asking remuneration for the cost of the war on condition that Russia repurchase from the military possession of Japan the northern part of Sakhalin at a fixed price of 1,200,000,000 yen—the estimated "frais de guerre."

Every message received from Peterhof, including those that came early yesterday, was inflexible upon that point. Had Japan not inserted the sum, had there been left for future adjustment, the proposition would undoubtedly have proved more palatable.

According to the Japanese, Mr. Witte has already offered to divide Sakhalin. If the repurchase of Sakhalin was placed upon a purely business basis, the following few lines from the authorized statement of the Russian position given to the press last night should be borne in mind.

"All that Japan desires is to join the question of Sakhalin with that of a cash payment," said Mr. Witte, "and to insist upon war costs under the name of purchase money. The transaction is fictitious and the terminology misleading. If what is proposed be in truth a purchase and sale, it should be treated as such; and, therefore, should Russia decline to buy the territory, Japan should keep it and conclude peace on the basis of the concessions already made."

But his plenipotentiaries themselves no longer count on either side. The negotiations have passed from their hands to the principals at Peterhof and Tokio.

Most persistently the report continues to be circulated here that Emperor William has been one of the main obstacles to peace; that while ostensibly in sympathy with the president's efforts, he is advising Emperor Nicholas not to yield. The foundation for this belief is the fact which appears fully confirmed, that Mr. Witte's instructions were made more imperative and intransigent upon the question with the Russian emperor in the Gulf of Finland.

Beyond this no evidence is offered. It is significant that Mr. Witte made it a point to express his disbelief in the report from St. Petersburg which caused considerable consternation here, that Count Lamsdorff had authorized Reuter's agent to declare that Russia under no circumstances would pay a contribution either direct or indirect or make a cession of territory whatever. Mr. Witte said he could not imagine that Count Lamsdorff could have authorized such a statement without informing him (Witte).

Cholera in the Philippines

Some of Uncle Sam's Soldiers Are Stricken.

Manila, Aug. 25.—An outbreak of cholera in Manila has been reported. It is thought that it is due to green vegetables from Hong Kong. Wednesday two soldiers died at Camp McKinley, which is now quarantined. In the city several natives and one American woman have died. The surgeons of the board of health state that the disease is not serious and that heroic efforts will be made to place it under control.

Cholera in Europe.

Danzig, Prussia, Aug. 25.—Two Russian raftsmen recently died at Cuten, West Prussia, of what was diagnosed as Asiatic cholera. All Russian raftsmen there, including those recently arrived, have been detained or isolated, and energetic measures are being taken by the health authorities to discover any cases of the disease and to prevent its spread.

Ex-Russian Ships in Service.

Tokio, Aug. 25.—The former Russian battleship Peresviet, now the Sagami, arrived at the Sasebo navy yard on Aug. 23 from Port Arthur, under her own steam. The former Russian cruiser Bayan, now the Aso of the Japanese navy, is expected to arrive there from the same port today.

GREAT SPECTACLE

Ship Struck by Lightning Burns at Midnight.

New York, Aug. 25.—Struck by lightning during a terrific storm which swept over Staten Island and the lower part of the upper bay at midnight, the ship Mulberry Hill, laden with case oil and naphtha, lying in the stream midway between Tompkinsville and Stapleton, was burning early this morning, lighting up the bay from the Battery to Sandy Hook. The crew of twenty-four men left the ship just after the fire started and landed at Stapleton. Word was sent to Manhattan for fireboats, which hastened to flood the vessel with water.

NINE DROWN

Tabasco, Col., Has Cloudburst That Does Much Damage.

Denver, Col., Aug. 25.—It is reported that a cloudburst at Tabasco, a coal mining camp near Trinidad, Col., flooded the town and drowned nine persons. Considerable damage to property was caused, also. All communication with Trinidad was cut off almost immediately after the bare report was sent out of there. Trinidad is in the extreme southern portion of the state, about 200 miles from Denver.

Supply Goods to Canal Workmen.

Panama, Aug. 25.—The merchants committee had a conference yesterday with Governor Magoon, Chief Engineer Stevens and President Amador and his cabinet at the president's palace. The greatest cordiality was shown throughout the meeting. The representatives of the merchants said as the canal commission considered commissariats throughout the zone necessary to the building of the canal, the merchants were no willing to put obstacles in the way of the undertaking, but proposed to limit the commissariat privileges to articles of absolute necessity. It was also suggested that the canal commission permit the laborers to make their other purchases from commercial houses by means of coupons which the commission should redeem. Governor Magoon and Mr. Stevens have taken this proposition under consideration.

Colored Workmen Combine.

St. Louis, Aug. 25.—A delegate convention of colored mechanics, representing Missouri, Illinois and several of the Southern states, convened here yesterday to organize a colored mechanical association with local branches in all cities. This body is not identified or affiliated with any other labor organization. Its object is co-operation for mutual benefits and opportunities for employment. H. W. Fearson of St. Louis was chosen temporary chairman and W. P. Henington of Springfield, Ill., secretary. There are thirty delegates representing six states.

Battenberg Received With Honors.

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 25.—Prince Louis of Battenberg arrived here yesterday. He was the guest of the Canadian club at lunch and was the guest of honor at a state dinner in the evening. Civic authorities delivered an address of welcome to which the prince replied. He left for Toronto after the dinner. About 300 sailors from the second cruiser squadron are here being hospitably entertained.

Mayorality Nomination for Jerome.

New York, Aug. 25.—The city committee of the Citizens' Union last night by a vote of 30 to 16 decided to offer the nomination for the mayorality to District Attorney William Travers Jerome. The executive committee of the Republican city committee have decided in favor of fusion against Tammany in the coming contest.

Noted Woman Dead.

Cincinnati, Aug. 25.—Blanche Freidin, a distinguished French woman, died from pneumonia at her home here yesterday, aged sixty-two years. She was the organizer in this country of the Alliance Francaise and was widely known in literary circles.

John Burns Coming.

London, Aug. 25.—John Burns, Labor leader in the house of commons, sailed on the steamer Bavarian from Liverpool yesterday. It is understood he will make an investigation of immigration into Canada.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

By a collision of trains at Mankato, Kan., a number of people were seriously hurt.

The footpad who shot and killed Mrs. Mize at Chicago has not been apprehended.

A bold thief robbed the Collinsville, I. T., bank of \$1,200 in broad daylight and escaped.

The Woman's Club at Denver broke up in a row and several suits for slander may be filed.

Hon. Parks Martin was reappointed member of the Indiana state board of tax commissioners.

Extensive preparations are being made for the national encampment of the G. A. R. at Denver.

April 24, 1906, has been fixed as the day for celebrating what will be known as Paul Jones day, at Washington.

The only colored militia company in Alabama will be mustered out of service because the members sang "We'll hang Jeff Davis on a sour apple tree."

Wholesale arrests of employees of the Astor House, New York, have been made. It is alleged that they have robbed the hotel of \$200 a day since Oct. 1 last.

IT TELLS OF HOPE

The Message Spoken From New Orleans Today Is of Good Cheer.

COMING UNDER CONTROL

Fear of Dangerous Epidemic Passed and Work Now Is to Keep Control of Situation.

While Death List Is Larger General Conditions Are Vastly Improved Throughout Infected District.

New Orleans, Aug. 25.—New cases yesterday, 44; total to date, 1,600; deaths yesterday, 7; total, 226; new foci, 10; total, 360; cases remaining under treatment, 287.

New Orleans, Aug. 25.—With the fever here coming steadily under control and apprehension no longer felt of a dangerous epidemic, the federal authorities are anxious to put restriction against free intercourse between New Orleans and infected communities in Louisiana and elsewhere. The policy of such a move was fully discussed in the conference of the fever fighters with Governor Blanchard, and the results are to be made known at the meeting of the state board of health which has been called to take place here today. The necessity for some such action arises especially from the conduct of the Italians and other foreign races. Many of them fled from New Orleans to the surrounding parishes when the fever first grew violent here. They established nests of infection at various points. Since then many of them have been drifting back to New Orleans, settling in new neighborhoods and increasing the foci here.

No surrender of course is made of the principle that the mosquito is the only means of transmission, but the attitude to be assumed is that which Dr. Guiteras declares is responsible for the Havana quarantine. Havana is perfectly willing to receive one case of fever or twenty cases without any fear of infection, but it insists that each case must be labeled. In other words the quarantine is put on in order to observe travelers who enter that city, so that no one in whose system the parasite of yellow fever already exists may come in without the knowledge of the authorities and establish a point of infection.

Yesterday's report was encouraging. The death list was somewhat larger than the day before, but it did not reach the maximum set earlier in the month, and there is not the slightest indication of the tendency the fever assumed at this period in 1878. Some encouragement was found in the fact that only a small number of new foci were established.

The territory bounded by St. Ann, Esplanade, Rampart and Decatur, the heart of the original infection, is again undergoing a thorough course of disinfection. This will be the third treatment given. A total of thirty-six squares containing 1,200 houses is embraced in the district.

France Delivers Ultimatum.

Paris, Aug. 25.—As the result of a special meeting of the council of ministers it was announced that a military demonstration will be made against Morocco unless the sultan promptly yields to the French demands for the release of the French Algerian citizen, a merchant named Bousian, who was unjustifiably arrested at Gharb, a Moroccan town on the Algerian frontier. Instructions were sent to the French minister at Fez, St. Rene Talandier, to make a final and imperative demand on the sultan.

Irrigation Congress Officers.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 25.—After two days devoted to deliberating in sections the National Irrigation congress assembled in general session yesterday. Chairman George E. Barstow presented the report of the nominating committee recommending the following officers for the ensuing year: Governor George Pardee, California, president; L. W. Shurtliff, Utah, first vice president; J. H. Stephens, Texas, second vice president; E. T. Smith, Oregon, third vice president; H. B. Maxon, Nevada, secretary.

Noted Football Players.

London, Aug. 25.—The Pilgrims, the team of English football players who will make a two-months' tour of the United States and Canada, were passengers on the steamer Bavarian which sailed from Liverpool for America yesterday. This team includes a number of the best association players in the United Kingdom, and is captained by Fred Milnes of Sheffield. Sir Charles Kilpatrick, the Scotch Lionet, is one of the members.

Oscar Changed His Mind.

Stockholm, Aug. 25.—According to good authority, the following in government circles regarding the accession by a Bernadotte prince to the Norwegian throne has undergone a complete change. King Oscar no longer opposes the acceptance of the crown by his son, Charles. As soon as the union between Norway and Sweden is dissolved, his answer will be given, and it probably will be affirmative.

Doctor Brigham Says

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Marvelous cures are reported from all parts of the country by women who have been cured, trained nurses who have witnessed cures and physicians who have recognized the virtue of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and are fair enough to give credit where it is due.

If physicians dared to be frank and open, hundreds of them would acknowledge that they constantly prescribe Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in severe cases of female ills, as they know by experience it can be relied upon to effect a cure. The following letter proves it.

Dr. S. C. Brigham, of 4 Brigham Park, Fitchburg, Mass., writes:

"It gives me great pleasure to say that I have found Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound very efficacious, and often prescribe it in my practice for female difficulties."

"My oldest daughter, who is very beautiful for her time, and my youngest daughter is now taking it for a female weakness, and is surely gaining in health and strength."

"I freely advocate it as a most reliable specific in all diseases to which women are subject, and give it honest endorsement."

Women who are troubled with painful or irregular menstruation, bloating (or flatulence), leucorrhoea, falling, inflammation or ulceration of the uterus, ovarian troubles, that bearing-down feeling, dizziness, faintness, indigestion, nervous prostration or the blues, should take immediate action to ward off the serious consequences, and be restored to perfect health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and then write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., for further free advice.

No living person has had the benefit of a wider experience in treating female ills. She has guided thousands to health. Every suffering woman should ask for and follow her advice if she wants to be strong and well.

HERE ARE THE SCORES

Story of Yesterday's Games in the Big Leagues Briefly Told.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Philadelphia, 1; Chicago, 2. At Pittsburgh, 6; Boston, 1. Second game, Pittsburgh, 7; Boston, 4. At Brooklyn, 9; St. Louis, 4.

At New York, 8; Cincinnati, 0. Second game, New York, 6; Cincinnati, 6.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Cleveland, 0; Boston, 5. Second game, Cleveland, 6; Boston, 3. At Detroit, 2; Washington, 3. At St. Louis, 2; New York, 1. Second game, St. Louis, 1; New York, 3.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

At St. Paul, 1; Indianapolis, 0. At Minneapolis, 0; Louisville, 1. At Kansas City, 0; Toledo, 2. Second game, Kansas City, 12; Toledo, 1.

Sunday School Association.

Clifton, Mass., Aug. 25.—The central committee of the International Sunday School association at its meeting yesterday authorized the addition of negro workers in the Southern field up to the number of forty, and voted to appropriate \$15,000 as salary and \$1,000 as expenses for every worker for whom a Southern state would contribute a like amount. A commission of three with Dr. Frank Woodbury of Nova Scotia as chairman was appointed to make a visitation of the West Indies and South Africa. The appointment of seven or more to consider the relation between the international association and the various Protestant denominations was passed.

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FRIDAY, AUG. 25, 1905.

DECORATE for the Log Rolling. Prizes will be given for the best decorated store fronts. Three prizes will be given. Plan your decorations in advance.

THE latest advices from Portsmouth are not favorable for an immediate agreement between the peace envoys. President Roosevelt has not given up and is doing every thing he can to bring about peace. He is resourceful and may yet succeed.

It is the opinion of every one you meet that a great crowd will be here during the week of the Log Rolling and Carnival. All have heard from friends that are coming. They have found out that we are to have a great time here that week and that the entertainment provided is all high class.

JOHN R. BONNELL, who is collector of internal revenue, says that the Indiana anti-cigarette law has reduced cigarette smoking more than seventy-five per cent. He is in a position to know because of the revenue collected from that source. The spectacle of seeing a man smoke a cigarette in Indiana is extremely uncommon. The chronicles have given up the habit and are better off, and the habit among boys has been almost wholly eliminated.

DIED.

FISK—John N. Fisk died at Rising Sun Friday morning, Aug. 25, at 5 o'clock. His father, Samuel Fisk, sent a message to Wm. H. Willman, of this city, a few hours after Mr. Fisk's death. John N. Fisk was in business in this city about seven years and during that time made a host of friends, for he was a good citizen. Five years of the time he was here he and W. H. Willman were partners in the grocery business. He sold out about a year ago because of poor health. Mr. Fisk was 39 years of age.

SAGER—Henry Sager died at his home on the Peters farm 2 1/2 miles west of Rockford, Thursday night at 10:30, August 24, age 35 years. He had been afflicted with heart trouble for a long time. He was a son of J. H. Sager and was an industrious farmer. He leaves a wife and three children. Funeral services from the residence at 1 o'clock Sunday and from St. Paul's church in Seymour at 2:30. Burial at Riverview.

The Roberts cowboy evangelists, who led a series of holiness meetings here a short time ago, went through here this morning on their way to Cincinnati, from which place they will go to New York and set sail the last of August on their evangelistic tour of the world.

Take Kodol After Eating.

After a hearty meal a dose of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will prevent an attack of indigestion. Kodol is a guaranteed cure for indigestion, dyspepsia, gas on the stomach, weak heart, sour risings, bad breath and all stomach troubles. Sold by A. J. Pellens and W. F. Peter Drug Co.

Report.

If there are any families in the city who have rooms they would like to rent during the Log Rolling or would like to take some boarders for the week to help care for the crowd, report same to C. W. Burkart at the Democrat office.

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MORE VOTES.

Carnival Queen Contest Continues Lively.

The voting for the Carnival Queen is still being kept up briskly while the one who will receive the honor is still merely a matter of surmise. Don't wait for the last minute to vote for your favorite but cast your vote today.

The Carnival Queen contest at noon stood as follows:

Miss Mayme McDonald.....112
" Alice Sharon.....142
" Myrtle Baker.....174
" Grace Ewing.....69
" Hattie Niemeyer.....231
" Hazel Stevens.....213
" Helen M. Gates.....213
" Ina Shannon.....30
" Elsie Aufderheide.....66
Miscellaneous Votes.....8

The ballot boxes are at F. H. Gates' store, Cox's Pharmacy and Abel's grocery. Watch the vote from day to day and you will likely do some voting yourself.

Some Suggestions.

The Log Rolling committee had another meeting last night to hear reports and to talk over any other matters needing attention. This committee has all it can attend to right now. The matter of lodging places for visitors during the week was discussed. It is evident that the hotels and boarding houses will not be able to accommodate all the visitors. A great many residents have reported to the committee that they have rooms at their homes they would rent that week. A list of all these has been made. The committee thinks it advisable that there be some uniformity of charges for these rooms and suggests that for an ordinary room without board the rate be 25 cents per day for each person occupying the room. For better rooms, where more accommodations are demanded, a rate of 50 cents is suggested and where two or more persons occupy such a room the rate be made 35 cents. These are only suggestions but the committee believe it would be well if all those renting rooms would comply with these requests as nearly as possible.

The committee would like to hear from still more who have rooms to rent. Report to C. W. Burkart at the Democrat office.

G. A. R. at Denver.

Relative to the National Encampment of the G. A. R. at Denver, State Commander Tackett, has issued the following to Indiana posts:

The Encampment will be held during the week commencing Monday, September 4. The parade will take place on Wednesday, September 6, and business sessions will be held Thursday and Friday.

Indiana veterans will have their headquarters at the Brown Palace hotel. The official train will leave Indianapolis September 2. Those who find it more convenient can join this train at St. Louis.

Circus Man Hurt.

John Robinson, the circus man, was taken through here on No. 4 this morning on his way to Cincinnati. He was in an unconscious condition having been hit on the head by three negroes when their complimentary tickets were refused. On reaching Cincinnati he knew none of the members of his family but it is expected that he will regain consciousness soon.

Red Birds.

The game warden says that the practice of buying and selling red birds in Indiana must stop. He has instructed his deputies accordingly and war on the red bird trapper will be begun.

Rev. Harley Jackson is conducting a successful meeting at Honeytown and will be engaged there until after Sunday. There were four accessions to the church last night. He and Charles Isaacs were in town yesterday driving back in time for evening service.

Frank Voss is having a new gasoline lighting system put in his building on South Chestnut street by the Incandescent Light and Store Co., of Cincinnati. This firm will put the same system in L. F. Miller's Dry Goods store tomorrow.

No Hay Fever; No Asthma; North Michigan Excursion Via Pennsylvania Lines.

September 2d to famous health resorts—Mackinac, Petoskey, Traverse City, Omena, Northport. Only \$11.00 round trip from Seymour. See J. W. Wray Ticket Agent, Pennsylvania Lines.

Labor Day.

Account Labor Day celebrations the Southern Indiana Ry. Co. will sell tickets within a radius of fifty miles at one fare plus 25 cents for the round trip. No fare less than 25 cents. J. M. CLARK, Agent.

Low Fares to G. A. Encampment at Denver via Pennsylvania Lines.

August 29th to September 3d, inclusive, excursion tickets to Denver, Colorado, account National Encampment Grand Army of the Republic, will be sold from all ticket stations on Pennsylvania lines. For full information regarding fares, times of trains, etc., apply to local ticket agent of those lines.

Old Coins.

Jacob Hovis, a farmer residing two miles southwest of Waymansville, has presented the REPUBLICAN with sketches of two very old coins in his possession. As described by him the first, the old Mexican dollar, bearing the date 1829, bears a picture of the sun, expressing the idea of the warmth and brilliance of the country. On one side of the sun is a five pointed star and on the other the figure 8, then K. G., followed by the year and the letters M. J. 10 Ds 20 Gs. On the other side of the coin is the picture of a large eagle with the words "Republi-cana Mexicana" at the top. Mr. Hovis has had the coin in his possession since January 1862 and had it in his pocket on the day he was married, December 27, 1863.

The second coin is the old American half dollar of the year 1810. The woman's head and the word "Liberty" with thirteen stars is on one side and on the opposite side is the eagle and the mark 50 cents together with the words, United States of America, E Pluribus Unum. The coin has been in his possession twenty-five years.

September Lippincott's.

The September number of Lippincott's is fiction-full. Its opening novelette, "The Fortress," comes from the pen of an ex-war correspondent, Will Levington Comfort, who tells a tale of love amid stirring scenes around Port Arthur. An American girl, reporter for a metropolitan newspaper, shares the story's stage-center with two American men and a Russian captain. The girl—one of the pluckiest and prettiest of her sex—succeeds in entering Port Arthur just before the harbor is closed. Her experiences there, while her lover is moving heaven and earth to effect her release; the vital, but not long-drawn-out, war scenes; the escape and jubilant return to the metropolis with a splendid "scoop" for her paper, make an unforgettable story, which the author may be proud to have produced.

Rock Island Folder.

The Rock Island has recently issued an elaborate folder with illustrations from photographs, entitled "Chicago as a Summer Resort." It does full justice to the subject, touching upon every phase of the city, its beauties and the attractions of its peculiarly favorable position and environs, together with its superior qualifications as a summer resort. Copies of the folder may be obtained by addressing John Sebastian, Passenger Traffic Manager, Rock Island System, Chicago.

September Pearson's.

Pearson's Magazine for September opens with an interesting article describing the work of the Bandit Hunters of the Union Pacific Railroad. "Flyers of the Seas," an extremely timely article, tells all about the construction, hulls and machinery of the automobile boats that have been smashing records this summer. New Hope for the Consumptive is an account of a consumption cure devised at the N. Y. Post-Graduate Hospital. Three other interesting articles are there.

Of fiction installments there are eleven, including the rejuvenated Don Quixote.

Crowd Went Down.

A great many Seymour people are attending the reunion at Brownstown. Seventy more tickets were sold at the B. & O. ticket office here today. Besides these many went down in private conveyances. The crowd today is reported larger than yesterday, the number of old soldiers especially being greater. There will be fire works tonight. The Banda Rossa is playing there again today.

"Fraternity Day."

The Indiana State Log Rolling Association desires all the fraternal orders of the city to establish and maintain headquarters for their respective societies on Friday, Sept. 29, "FRATERNITY DAY," and to join in the Fraternity Parade at 7:30 Friday evening. By order of committee, A. N. MUNDEN, Pres.

Tinners Attention.

We want five Tinners. Good pay, steady work. The jobs lead if desired, to road work with all hotel and traveling expenses paid by us. Call on or address:

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If you want a smooth, clear complexion, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea this month. Bright eyes and red lips follow its use. 35 cents Teasor Tablets. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Seymour and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

LADIES.
McNicholas Jennie Miss
GENTS.
Anderson Charlie Mr.
Elliott Ben W. Mr.
Peterson Andrew Mr.
Webb Warren Mr.
Seymour, Ind., Aug. 21, 1905.

WM. P. MASTERS, P. M.
DeWitt's **Witch Hazel**
For Piles, Burns, Sores.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

Lynn Terrell is in charge of the B. & O. S. W. Bedford branch train while Conductor Greer is taking his vacation.

Cliff Long, yard master here, is at Seymour for 30 days in the yard masters place there and Chas. Van Arnum has his place here while he is there—North Vernon Sun.

Ed Maseman, agent, and his staff of office men, are much better pleased with the change the hammer and saw men have made in the B. & O. station here. The boys now get around without much concern about head end collisions and side swipes—Mitchell Tribune.

Agonizing Burns

are instantly relieved and perfectly healed by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. C. Rivenbark, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., writes: "I burnt my knee dreadfully; that it blistered all over. Bucklen's Arnica Salve stopped the pain, and healed it without a scar." Also heals all wounds and sores. 25c at W. F. Peter Drug Co.

STOUTS MILL

Church at Brown's M. E. Chapel Sunday at 2:30.

Born to Sam Emly and wife, Aug. 16 a daughter.

Alice Lemons is very sick with lung trouble.

Mrs. Biggersten is very sick with nervous trouble.

Miss Mar Johnson, of Edinburg, visited Chas. Helt and family last week.

Green Barriger is visiting relatives in Kentucky this week.

Lymon Gruber and family, of West Reddington, visited Charles Helt and family Sunday.

Joseph Ryan spent several days last week at Indianapolis.

Emmet George and wife were at North Vernon Wednesday.

Mrs. Whitcomb, of North Vernon, and Mrs. Mabie Willy, of Indianapolis, visited Wm. Helt and family recently.

Misses Flossie and Lennie Johnson and Mary Marron, of Seymour, visited C. Helt and family Thursday.

Mrs. John Helt visited her sister at Chicago last week.

Ernest May and family visited Dae Montgomery and family Sunday.

John Amick and family, of Seip, called on friends here Sunday.

Tip Shields and Frank Davis and family visited George McConnell and family Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Rhoads and Mrs. M. Heagle are visiting their mother at Indianapolis this week.

Wm. Tabor and family and Mr. Hamilton, of West Reddington, visited Wm. Swengel and family Sunday.

Mrs. O. G. Baughman and daughter Hildah are visiting relatives in Sullivan county.

John Fox and wife, of Deer Lake, visited Harlan Gruber and family Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Tindler, of Louisville, visited relatives here this week.

Mira Little moved to Elizabethtown Wednesday. Guy Doty, of Hayden, will occupy the house vacated by Little.

Soothing and Cooling.

The salve that heals without a scar is DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. No remedy effects such speedy relief. It draws out inflammation, soothes and cools and heals all cuts, burns and bruises. A sure cure for piles and skin diseases. DeWitt's is the only genuine Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of counterfeits, they are dangerous. Sold by A. J. Pellens and W. F. Peter Drug Co.

\$22.05 to Colorado and Return From Seymour Over Pennsylvania.

G. A. R. excursion tickets will be sold at the above fare. Their sale will begin August 29th and continue daily until September 3rd. Tickets may be obtained to Denver, where the National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held September 4th to 7th, and to Colorado Springs or Pueblo.

The fare is an unusually low one, and the occasion presents an exceptional opportunity for a sight-seeing trip to Colorado and the West. Excursionists may go over one route and return over another, making the trip via Chicago, returning through St. Louis, or vice versa. Full particulars may be ascertained by consulting J. W. WRAY, Agent, Seymour, Ind.

Low Rate Excursions via B O S-W. Season 1905.

Labor Day Exp. 4.—The B. & O. S-W. will sell tickets to points within a radius of 50 miles at one fare plus 25c for the round trip.

National Firemen's Association Kansas City, Mo.—The B. & O. S-W. will sell tickets to Kansas City, Mo., and return at greatly reduced rates. Date of sale Aug. 27 and 28.

Old Fellows Patriarchs Militant and Sovereign Grand Lodge, Philadelphia, Pa.—For the above occasion the B. & O. S-W. will sell tickets to Philadelphia and return at very low rates. Date of sale Sept. 15, 16 and 17.

E. Farmer's National Congress, Richmond, Va.—On Sept. 9, 10 and 11 the B. & O. S-W. will sell tickets to Richmond, Va., and return at greatly reduced rates.

Excursion Fares to Kansas City Via Pennsylvania Lines.

August 27th and 28th, excursion tickets to Kansas City, account convention, National Firemen's Association, will be sold from all ticket stations on the Pennsylvania Lines. For full particulars regarding fares, return limit, etc., apply to Local Ticket Agent of those lines.

OLD PEOPLE AND THEIR TROUBLES

Old People have more of the pains, aches and discomforts of life than do the young. This is perfectly natural, because their blood is not so vigorous, nor their powers of resistance so great, and troubles that a younger, healthy constitution could resist often afflict them.

During the civil war I contracted Catarrh and suffered with its effects for many years. I tried various remedies and doctors, but with no good result. One day I found one of your pamphlets and read it carefully. I decided S. S. S. was the medicine I was in need of and I began its use at once. My health was dreadful, and as I was getting along in years, I had most of the pains and ailments incident to that time of life; but after taking this great remedy for awhile I began to improve and soon found myself a strong, well man. I am now more than 75 years of age, but my health is good, because I take an occasional bottle of S. S. S. Nothing equals it as a tonic and blood purifier, and I recommend it to those needing such a medicine.

Rheumatic pains, sleepless nights, fickle appetites, etc., are not imaginary with old people, as is sometimes thought. They need a medicine that will supply their blood with its lost vigor and build up and strengthen their constitutions. S. S. S. is the ideal remedy for Old People. It is made entirely from roots, herbs and barks, and does not injure the system in the least as do those medicines containing mineral ingredients. S. S. S. is gentle in its action, purifying the blood of all poisons and relieving old age of its discomforts by supplying a robust, healthy constitution. It is the greatest of all tonics for increasing the appetite, toning up the stomach, promoting the digestion and building up the entire system.

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Woman and Three Men Killed.
Bakersfield, Cal., Aug. 25.—By a terrific explosion of giant powder at Paris, fifty-one miles from Bakersfield, Mrs. A. W. McRae, wife of a prominent mining man, her son George, and Oscar Dulos, another mine owner, were instantly killed. Mr. McRae received injuries from which it is feared he will die, and at least three other men were badly hurt by the explosion.

Socialists Order Strike.
Warsaw, Aug. 25.—The Socialists have declared a general strike to begin at Lodz on Monday. Since martial law was declared hundreds of arrests have been made, mostly of Socialists at Lodz and that vicinity, where disorders still continue.

Suicide of Legislator.
Fondy, Ark., Aug. 25.—J. S. Peterson of Dallas county, member of the Arkansas legislature, has committed suicide by shooting himself through the head with a pistol. Despondency over protracted ill-health is the supposed cause of the act.

Big Title for Little Man.
Port au Prince, Hayti, Aug. 25.—In recognition of services rendered to the country by President Nord, parliament has bestowed upon him the title of "Regenerator of the Country," and has presented him with property valued at \$5,000.

Fraud Exposed.
A few counterfeiters have lately been making and trying to sell imitations of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This is to warn you to beware of such people, who seek to profit, through stealing the reputation of remedies which have been successfully curing disease, for over 25 years. A sure protection, to you is our name on the wrapper. Look for it, on all Dr. King's or Bucklen's remedies, as all others are mere imitations. H. E. BUCKLEN & CO., Chicago, Ill., and Windsor, Canada.

CALHOUN SATISFACTORY
Venezuelans Think He Will Treat All Interests Fairly.
Caracas, Aug. 25.—The semi-official Constitutional, commenting on the visit of former Judge W. J. Calhoun, whom President Roosevelt appointed special commissioner to look into the relations between Venezuela and the United States, says: "The appointment of this honorable representative of the American judiciary pleases the friends of the present administration, because we know that the proceedings in our courts are and have been founded on law and justice, and that the light which will be shed by his investigation will enable the commissioner to proclaim before the American people and the world his homage for the Venezuelan courts and the government under the law."

Judge Calhoun held a conference with the Attorney General yesterday. The issue of scrip for the new 3 per cent diplomatic debt will begin on Aug. 28.

Dangerous and Uncertain.
For sunburn, tetter and all skin and scalp disease, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has no equal. It is a certain cure for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. It will draw the fire out of a burn and heal without leaving a scar. Boils, old sores, carbuncles, etc., are quickly cured by the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Accept no substitute as they are often dangerous and uncertain. Sold by A. J. Pellens and W. F. Peters.

Methodist Conference, Linton, Ind.
Account Indiana Methodist Conference, Linton, Ind., the Southern Indiana Ry. Co. will sell tickets to ministers and their wives Sept. 18 and 19. Good to return up to and including Sept. 29 at one fare for the round trip.

Schooner Hits Warship.
Newport, R. I., Aug. 25.—After colliding with and damaging the little kerosene oil schooner N. S. Gallip of New York, the battleship Kearsarge arrived in the harbor last night with the disabled craft and her crew of two. The warship was not injured, and the loss to the owner of the schooner, the National Oil company of New York, does not exceed \$500.

Reduced Fares To Franklin Via Pennsylvania Lines.
August 29th to September 2nd, inclusive, excursion tickets to Franklin, account Johnson County Fair, will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines from Indianapolis, Seymour, North Vernon and intermediate stations.

NO FRAUD

Fair Count Was Had in Indianapolis Republican Primary.

Indianapolis, Aug. 25.—The Republican board of primary election commissioners met last night to hear from Chairman Metzger the result of the contest filed by Ferdinand C. Smock, a candidate for councilman-at-large in the recent primaries, who asked for a recount, charging that he was defeated by fraud. Smock obtained a temporary order restraining Chairman Metzger from burning the ballots until his claims could be investigated. Members of the Republican organization believe that Smock was induced to file his proceedings by interests that have been fighting ex-Mayor C. A. Bookwater for several years and that they even went so far as to offer to bear his expenses in the matter in hopes of having the bags containing the ballots opened so it might be shown that Bookwater had been nominated by fraud. It is understood, however, that several Republican leaders pointed out the situation to Smock. An arrangement was made by which Smock and Chairman Metzger should go over the returns and report to the primary election commissioners. Last night Smock had the restraining order dissolved and Metzger burned the ballots. The anti-Bookwater organs now claim that Metzger burned the ballots without giving the primary election commissioners opportunity to examine them. They are poking fun at the investigation, but the Republican politicians are enjoying their discomfiture over their inability to have the bags reopened.

The expected has happened once more, as just before the final adjournment of the 1905 session of the state board of tax commissioners, Governor Hanly announced the reappointment of Parks M. Martin as the Democratic member of the board. It had been anticipated for some time that this action would be taken, as Martin was highly recommended by his associates. He was originally appointed nearly four years ago by Governor Durbin. Charles P. Drummond of South Bend and other prominent Democrats were candidates for the place under Governor Hanly, and for several weeks there was a lively contest. It has been the custom for several years for the new member to give a watermelon feast for the board and the other state officials, so Martin acted as host, furnishing a dozen of the finest watermelons he could get from Daviess county. Martin was chairman of the Democratic state committee in 1896, 1898 and 1900, but since his appointment to the board has not taken an active part in politics.

Something of the extent of the popularity of automobilism in Indiana may be gained by an inspection of the license books in Secretary of State Storms' office. The last legislature enacted a law to compel owners of automobiles to take out a state license, for which a fee of \$1 shall be paid. Up to today 2,397 licenses have been taken out. That, however, does not represent the actual number of machines in use in Indiana, as there are many owners who have failed to comply with the law. Secretary Storms recently wrote to prosecuting attorneys, asking them to enforce the law in their communities, but no prosecutions have been instituted. It is likely that 2,397 is fully two-thirds of the number of machines that are in use, although it would seem that nearly that many are on the streets of Indianapolis every day. An automobile expert who looked over the list of machine owners calculates that the average cost is between \$1,500 and \$2,000, so the immensity of the amount invested in them may be realized.

Those politicians who thought that the positions with the Indiana railway commission would be sinecures would be disillusioned if they should make an investigation. The board has had two public hearings this week, one lasting two days. The other began this morning, and it promises to continue two or three days, as the subject under consideration is very important, concerning as it does the establishment of a uniform and equitable freight rate for coal in the gas belt. There are a number of complaints now on file before the commission, and several cases that are under advisement. Many legal problems are presented while require much investigation, and there is also a mass of evidence to sift. It is predicted during the legislature that about all the commission would have to do would be to ride around and have a bully time, but it looks as if their time is to be pretty well occupied.

The state board of tax commissioners turned a deaf ear to a majority of the appeals for reductions from assessments made at the opening session. Twenty-one appeals were turned down, while only a few brought desired results. The board refused to lower the assessment on the Wabash, Monon, Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago, the Pullman and other transportation companies. The only radical reduction was with the Adams Express company, whose assessment was fixed at \$566 per mile. It was reduced to \$448.

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DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy. It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, uric acid, catarrh of the bladder and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work and in private practice, and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper, who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root, and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The remedy is fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles are sold by all good druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

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Notice.
To whom it may Concern.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Seymour, at its regular meeting August 17, 1905, passed a resolution deeming it necessary to improve the sidewalk on the south side of Laurel street from Vine street to the east corporation line, in accordance to plans and specifications to be adopted by the Common Council, said sidewalk to be improved abuts upon the real estate owned by Nancy Applewhite. That objections to said proposed improvement will be heard by the Common Council at its regular meeting on Sept. 14, 1905, at 8 o'clock p. m. Said improvement is to be made as provided for by an act of the general assembly of the state of Indiana entitled an act concerning municipal corporations approved March 6, 1905, at the cost of abutting property holders.

FRED EVERBACK,
City Clerk.

Notice.
To whom it may Concern.

You are hereby notified that by resolution passed by the Common Council of the City of Seymour at its regular meeting August 17, 1905, that there is now pending before them the matter of vacating part of Broadway street as follows: Part of Broadway street 10 feet wide and 100 feet long by parallel lines along the east side of lot No. 23 in block W and opening the west end of Myers street by receiving in exchange a strip of ground 16 feet wide by parallel lines of and along the south side of lot No. 23 in block W, city of Seymour Ind., by deed of the John Embury Co. and that the Common Council will meet at the Council Chamber of said city on the 14th day of September 1905 at 8 o'clock p. m. to hear any objections that any person may desire to make.

FRED EVERBACK,
City Clerk.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 25, 1905.—Fair tonight and Saturday. Warmer Saturday.

See J. C. Hill for coal.

Try the Star Bakery for fresh bread and cakes. D. O. Dunn.

French Bros. celebrated Cincinnati ice cream for sale at Hoovers.

Fancy peaches, hulled butter beans, and country honey at Teckemeyer's.

For first-class paper hanging and decorating see F. W. Sweany, 119 Jeffersonville ave.

Sick headache results from a disordered condition of the stomach and is quickly cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

WANT ADVERTISING

Losing a poor job is the next best thing to quitting it in either case having quick recourse to the want ads. Shakespeare put it this way: "Some falls are means the happier to arise."

WANTED—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address "G", care REPUBLICAN. a26d

WANTED—Boy to learn printing trade. Inquire here.

FOR SALE—Bottom farm of two hundred acres, 4 1/2 miles west of Seymour on White River. Will sell at a bargain. See a26d31w GEO. A. ROBERTSON & CO.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A first class barber shop. Everything as good as new. Will sell on easy payments or trade. Must be disposed of immediately. a234&w ARTHUR H. DE GOLYER

Personal Mention.

W. F. Miller, Salem R. F. D. No. 6, after subscribing for and reading the Democrat for two years leaves the Aug. 16th issue in the post office marked, "Refused."—Salem Democrat.

This is the way our Salem contemporary advertises the man who takes the above method of getting something for nothing. Other newspaper men over the state may conclude to do likewise and make public the names of such readers.

Buy Saturday Candy at the W. F. Peter's Drug Store. Best offer.

Meet at North Vernon.

The North Vernon Sun says that the retail saloon men are to hold a meeting at North Vernon today. An organizer has been in this district recently, having in view a district organization. The nature and purpose of the organization has not been made public but it is suspected that it is similar to those made in some districts north and east of Indianapolis last fall.

Card Party.

Miss Mary Lynch entertained a number of her friends last evening in honor of her guests, Miss Lizzie Welsh of Louisville and Miss Victoria Eckstein, of Logansport. The evening was pleasantly spent at cards and dancing after which refreshments were served. Miss Welsh will go to Cincinnati next week to visit relatives and Miss Eckstein will remain until after the Carnival.

Frugal Editor.

An Illinois editor who started a business career about twenty years ago with only 15 cents, is now rated at \$100,000. This vast accumulation of wealth was made possible by his frugality, strict attention to business, hard and incessant work and the fact that a rich uncle died leaving him \$99,998 54.

You will be entertaining your friends joyfully during the Carnival week. Supply your larder in advance and save the worry during that week. The Model grocery will supply all your needs.

Don't forget that Loertz' Bakery is the place to go to get the best cakes, pies and pastries.

PERSONAL

Bert Bothwell is home from Bloomington.

R. L. Moseley went to Osgood this morning.

Mrs. L. L. Bartlett went to Brownstown today.

Dr. L. C. Ruddick spent today at Brownstown.

John Bauermeister was at Brownstown this morning.

Thos. Hopewell went to Columbus this morning.

Mrs. Ben Well went to Brownstown this morning.

C. W. Lynn went to the Brownstown Reunion today.

Miss Catherine Sutton went to Brownstown today.

J. L. Vannoy, of Crothersville, was here this morning.

Dr. W. H. Warner, of Crothersville was here last evening.

J. H. Hodapp made a business trip to Indianapolis today.

J. W. Cunningham of Brownstown was in the city this morning.

Charles Isaacs, of Honeytown, was in the city this morning.

C. H. Rutherford transacted business at North Vernon today.

W. T. Branaman was among those who went to Brownstown today.

Miss Anna Massman returned last evening from a visit at Union City.

Mrs. H. E. Williams and daughter returned to Columbus this morning.

Miss Holland Drosta, of Jeffersonville, is the guest of Seymour friends.

Frank Woodward, of Bloomington, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Misses Lottie Shuts and Sarah Meyers went to Brownstown this morning.

D. H. George and wife and son, of Waymansville spent last night in the city.

Mrs. George Martin, of Shelbyville was the guest of friends here yesterday.

S. V. Harding and U. F. Lewis transacted business at Shelbyville today.

J. L. Sutton and wife are spending the day with her parents J. P. Ahl and wife.

Mrs. Dr. J. K. Ritter and daughter, Fern, returned from Brownstown this morning.

Thos. M. Shera, of Lebanon, was here today on business with G. H. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelsa Botorff were north bound passengers yesterday afternoon.

Miss Edna Keller, of Scottsburg was here this morning on her way to Brownstown.

John Overmeyer, of North Vernon, was here today on legal business and greeting old friends.

Miss Barbara Laugel and Miss Annette and Will Cox drove to Brownstown this afternoon.

Mrs. O. D. Lumpkin and son, Chester, went to Indianapolis this morning to spend a few days with friends.

Miss Emma Elrod went to Columbus yesterday afternoon to spend a few days with Mrs. James B. Hull.

Misses Lennie May Johnson and Mary Marron attended Soldiers' Reunion at Brownstown today.

Mrs. W. F. McGuire, of Seymour, spent several days this week with relatives here.—North Vernon Sun.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Grisamore have returned from a visit at Medora, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Wesner.

Miss Coraella Andrews has gone to Chicago where she will again take up her work as teacher in the public schools.

Miss Amanda Baird went to Crothersville this morning and will spend several days with friends at Deputy.

Mrs. J. H. Matlock, Mrs. Grace Mann, Miss Margaret Miller and Miss Edna Dobbins went to Brownstown this morning.

Rev. Harley Jackson and family have returned from Honeytown where he has been holding protracted meetings this week.

Phil Laugel writes from Jeffersonville that he and his family will be here September 4 and will remain the entire week of the Log Rolling.

Senator Joe Shea of Seymour, and Judge Willard New and Bert New, of Vernon, have just returned from an outing and fishing trip in Minnesota.—Columbus Times.

Martin Re-appointed.

Governor Hanly's last act Thursday afternoon before the adjournment of the State Board of Tax Commissioners was to present Parks Martin, the Democratic member, with a commission reappointing him for a period of four years. Mr. Martin, his face all smiles, accepted the commission with profuse thanks. Half an hour later nearly every State office holder was in the basement eating watermelon—at Mr. Martin's expense. The position of State Tax Commissioner pays \$2,000 a year.

Mr. Martin was first appointed to the State Tax Board by Governor Mount to serve out an unexpired term. Governor Durbin reappointed him. His five years on the board has given him a wide experience in taxation matters. There were other Democrats after the place, it is said, but Governor Hanly was too much impressed with Martin's work to make a change.—Indianapolis Star.

Parks Martin succeeded Judge Thos. B. Buskirk on the Tax Board when the latter was elected circuit judge.

Hollweg is President.

Mr. Louis Hollweg, who was elected president of the New Long Distance Telephone Company and the Indianapolis Telephone Company, to fill the vacancy so tragically made by the death of S. P. Sheerin, is now giving his entire time to the Telephone business. He is giving the business the same thorough attention that has contributed to his success in other lines. Mr. Hollweg has been prominently identified with the business of Indianapolis and of Indiana for many years. He acceded to the unanimous wish of the directors of the Indianapolis and long distance telephone companies to become the active president of each and to give his time and attention to the telephone business. This will be recognized at once as a great advantage in the direction of affairs of the two companies.

Mr. Hollweg is a man of pleasing personality as well as of marked business ability. The independent telephone companies will be greatly benefited by having the service of such a man enlisted and giving all his time to that business.

Eclipse of Sun.

The eclipse of the moon which took place August 14th, aroused considerable interest in the form of celestial phenomena, and it is likely that the partial eclipse of the sun, which is announced to take place August 30th, will be watched with unusual interest. The eclipse, will be visible in Seymour from sunrise at 5:28 o'clock, until 6:30.

Poisons in Food.

Perhaps you don't realize that many pain poisons originate in your food, but some day you may feel a twinge of dyspepsia that will convince you. Dr. King's New Life Pills are guaranteed to cure all sickness due to poisons of undigested food—or money back. 25c at W. F. Peter Drug Co.

State Fair Art Exhibit.

Mrs. W. L. Berryman, of Tipton, Ind., who had charge of the Indiana Women's Department at the St. Louis Exposition last fall, is gathering up the displays of art made by the women from this state, and the whole exhibit will be given at the Indiana State Fair at Indianapolis during the week of September 11.

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Hi Henry's Minstrels.

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No apologies are in order from any who attend the Wallace performances. They are of the highest standard, and for quantity, quality and variety it is impossible to conceive of its failing to please. The most critical people will certainly be justified in attending it when it exhibits at Seymour on Tuesday, Sept. 5th.

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Several dealers here, by the way, have solved the mail order problem. They keep a catalogue of a large mail order house on the counter and can usually make better prices than are offered there. A few days ago a man spoke about a shot gun of a certain make that a Chicago house had catalogued at \$5 10. A local dealer went to a case and produced the same gun which was marked even \$5. The gun was bought because the purchaser at once saw he could save not alone ten cents on the price, but the postage and freight charges besides, and had a man whom he knew to look to in case the purchase proved unsatisfactory.—Shelbyville Republican.

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